

HOUSE No. 3226

By Mr. Honan of Boston, petition of Kevin G. Honan and others relative to the issuance of a distinctive motor vehicle registration plate to provide additional funding for affordable housing. Transportation.

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

PETITION OF:

Kevin G. Honan	Christopher J. Donelan
Harriette L. Chandler	Benjamin Swan
Timothy J. Toomey, Jr.	Edward G. Connolly
Rachel Kaprielian	James B. Eldridge
Michael J. Coppola	Brian Paul Golden
Shirley Gomes	Thomas M. Stanley
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Paul J. Donato	Peter J. Larkin
Peter V. Kocot	Emile J. Goguen

In the Year Two Thousand and Five.

AN ACT PROVIDING ADDITIONAL FUNDING FOR THE AFFORDABLE HOUSING TRUST FUND.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Court assembled, and by the authority of the same, as follows:

- 1 Section 2E of chapter 90, of the General Laws, as appearing in
- 2 the 2002 Official Edition, is hereby amended by adding the
- 3 following subsection:
- 4 (d) The registrar shall furnish, upon application, to the owners
- 5 of private passenger motor vehicles plates, which shall display on
- 6 their face a design indicating support for affordable housing in the
- 7 commonwealth, and the words "House Massachusetts" provided,
- 8 however, that the design of the plate shall be determined by the

9 advisory committee of the Affordable Housing Trust Fund, estab-
10 lished by section 4 of chapter 121D, in consultation with and sub-
11 ject to the approval of said registrar. There shall be a fee of not
12 less than 40 dollars for such plates in addition to the established
13 registration fee for private passenger motor vehicles, such fee
14 being payable at the time of registration of such vehicle and at
15 each renewal thereof. The portion of the total fee remaining after
16 the deduction of costs directly attributable to the issuance of such
17 plates shall be deposited in said Affordable Housing Trust Fund
18 established by section 2 of chapter 121D.